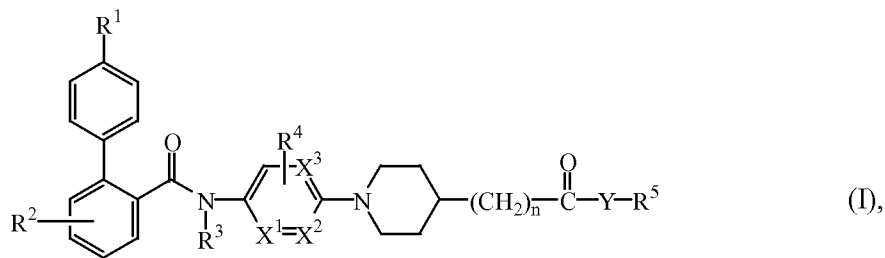


### **Listing of Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (original) A compound of formula (I)



the *N*-oxides, the pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts and the stereochemically isomeric forms thereof, wherein

R<sup>1</sup> is hydrogen, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, halo, or polyhaloC<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl;

R<sup>2</sup> is hydrogen, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, halo, or polyhaloC<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl;

R<sup>3</sup> is hydrogen or C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl;

R<sup>4</sup> is hydrogen, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, or halo;

n is an integer 0, or 1;

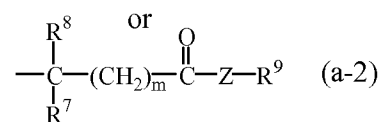
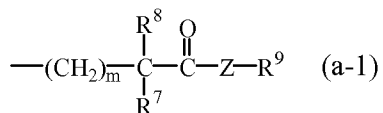
X<sup>1</sup> is carbon and X<sup>2</sup> is carbon; or X<sup>1</sup> is nitrogen and X<sup>2</sup> is carbon;

or X<sup>1</sup> is carbon and X<sup>2</sup> is nitrogen;

X<sup>3</sup> is carbon or nitrogen;

Y represents O, or NR<sup>6</sup> wherein R<sup>6</sup> is hydrogen or C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl;

R<sup>5</sup> represents a radical of formula



wherein

m is an integer 0, 1, or 2;

Z is O or NH;

R<sup>7</sup> is hydrogen,

C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl;

C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl substituted with hydroxy, amino, mono- or di(C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl)amino,

C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyloxycarbonyl, aminocarbonyl, aryl or heteroaryl;

C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl-O-C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl;

C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl-S-C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl; or

aryl;

R<sup>8</sup> is hydrogen or C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl;

R<sup>9</sup> is hydrogen, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, aryl<sup>1</sup>, or C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl substituted with aryl<sup>1</sup>;

or when Y represents NR<sup>6</sup> the radicals R<sup>5</sup> and R<sup>6</sup> may be taken together with the nitrogen to which they are attached to form pyrrolidinyl substituted with C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyloxycarbonyl and optionally further substituted with hydroxy; or piperidinyl substituted with C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyloxycarbonyl;

aryl is phenyl; phenyl substituted with one, two or three substituents each independently selected from C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyloxy, halo, hydroxy, nitro, cyano, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyloxycarbonyl, trifluoromethyl, or trifluoromethoxy; or benzo[1,3]dioxolyl;

aryl<sup>1</sup> is phenyl; phenyl substituted with one, two or three substituents each independently selected from C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyloxy, halo, hydroxy, nitro, cyano, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyloxycarbonyl, trifluoromethyl, or trifluoromethoxy; and heteroaryl is imidazolyl, thiazolyl, indolyl, or pyridinyl.

2. (original) A compound as claimed in claim 1 wherein X<sup>1</sup>, X<sup>2</sup> and X<sup>3</sup> are carbon.
3. (original) A compound as claimed in claim 1 wherein R<sup>1</sup> is trifluoromethyl; R<sup>2</sup> is hydrogen; R<sup>3</sup> is hydrogen; R<sup>4</sup> is hydrogen; X<sup>1</sup>, X<sup>2</sup> and X<sup>3</sup> are carbon; n is the integer 1; Y represents NR<sup>6</sup> wherein R<sup>6</sup> is hydrogen or methyl; and R<sup>5</sup> is a radical of formula (a-1) wherein m is the integer 0.

4. (original) A compound as claimed in claim 1 wherein  $R^1$  is trifluoromethyl;  $R^2$  is hydrogen;  $R^3$  is hydrogen;  $R^4$  is hydrogen;  $X^1$ ,  $X^2$  and  $X^3$  are carbon;  $n$  is the integer 1;  $Y$  represents  $NR^6$  wherein  $R^6$  is hydrogen or methyl; and  $R^5$  is a radical of formula (a-1) wherein  $m$  is the integer 1.
5. (original) A compound as claimed in claim 1 wherein  $R^1$  is trifluoromethyl;  $R^2$  is hydrogen;  $R^3$  is hydrogen;  $R^4$  is hydrogen;  $X^1$ ,  $X^2$  and  $X^3$  are carbon;  $n$  is the integer 1;  $Y$  represents  $NR^6$  wherein  $R^6$  is hydrogen or methyl; and  $R^5$  is a radical of formula (a-2) wherein  $m$  is the integer 1.
6. (previously presented) A compound as claimed in claim 1 wherein  $R^1$  is trifluoromethyl;  $R^2$  is hydrogen;  $R^3$  is hydrogen;  $R^4$  is hydrogen;  $X^1$ ,  $X^2$  and  $X^3$  are carbon;  $n$  is the integer 1;  $Y$  represents  $NR^6$  and  $R^5$  and  $R^6$  are taken together with the nitrogen to which they are attached to form pyrrolidinyl substituted with  $C_{1-4}$ alkyloxycarbonyl and optionally further substituted with hydroxy, or piperidinyl substituted with  $C_{1-4}$ alkyloxy-carbonyl.
7. (previously presented) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier and a therapeutically active amount of a compound as claimed in claim 1.
8. (previously presented) A process for preparing a pharmaceutical composition as claimed in claim 7 wherein a therapeutically active amount of a compound as claimed in claim 1 is intimately mixed with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 9 – 15. (Cancelled)